

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph on page 23, lines 9-14, with the following amended paragraph.

The viscosity of the above paint is favorably in the range of 500 to 5,000 mPa·s, more favorably 800 to 4,000 mPa·s, still more favorably 800 to ~~[[300]]~~ 3,000 mPa·s. If the viscosity of the paint is in the above range, then there can be obtained effects such that the microcapsules can be arranged in a layer with no space between them on the base material, whereby there is finished a coating film in which the microcapsules are in a densely packed state.